FISCAL NOTE

HB 3018 - SB 3728

February 27, 2008

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prohibits the surreptitious observation of individuals crossing the Tennessee border to purchase alcoholic beverages or tangible goods when the underlying offenses are Class C misdemeanors.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenue - \$200,000

Decrease Local Revenue - \$100,000

Assumptions:

- Tangible goods include, but are not limited to, cigarettes and other tobacco products.
- The Department of Revenue (DOR) indicates that this bill will greatly hamper the enforcement of existing state laws and individuals will be able to violate them with significantly more freedom.
- DOR indicates that state revenue will decrease as a result of this bill.
- The decrease of state revenue is estimated to be 200,000 per year.
- The decrease of local government revenue is estimated to be \$100,000 per year.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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